

## HOWARD SOMERS WILL RECOVER

Several Marriages Will Take Place in Petersburg During the Month.

## GIRLS SAIL FOR OLD WORLD

Man Injured By Propeller of Gasoline Launch Said to be Improving.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERSBURG, Va., June 9.—Howard Somers, the boy so dangerously injured in a box factory at Clarendon last Thursday evening, is getting on very well at the home for the Sick here. He is not yet out of danger, but has a very good chance for recovery. The skull was terribly fractured and both legs were broken.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Bessie Mattox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mattox, to Mr. Homer Young, of this city, at Market Street Methodist Church, June 20th.

Miss Marie Estelle Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dean, will be married to Mr. Robert Crawley Jones at the residence of the bride's parents, on Washington Street, Thursday evening, June 14th.

## PREACH ANNUAL SERMON.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Foster, pastor of Tabern Street Presbyterian Church, will tomorrow deliver the annual sermon before the Young Men's Christian Association of William and Mary College.

Miss Mary Triplett Patterson, Miss Ann Bell Patterson and Miss Helen Venable will sail from New York on June 12th to travel in England and on the continent for several months.

Mr. Orlando Hinton, who has been visiting in Washington Street, is improving. Mr. Hinton was injured by the propeller of a gasoline launch, which went around on a sand bank in the Appomattox River. A deep gash was cut in his leg while he was attempting to get the launch aloft.

Rev. D. K. Walthall, of Richmond, will preach tomorrow at Tabern Street Presbyterian Church.

## FOOT BADLY CRUSHED.

Reade Chary, a newspaper carrier about fifteen years old, was severely injured late yesterday afternoon on Liberty street by an unruly horse in the Memorial Day parade. The boy's foot was badly crushed.

## Killed By Lightning.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) JETTERVILLE, Va., June 8.—During a severe storm this afternoon, Owen White, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. A. F. White, of Maplewood, was instantly killed by lightning, and a very large barn containing valuable machinery, together with the old dwelling house near by, were consumed by fire. It was with difficulty that this new residence was saved from the flames. No insurance.

## Brown-Sullivan.

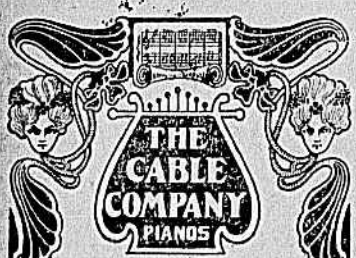
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FREDERICKSBURG, Va., June 8.—Mr. S. B. Brown, of Richmond, and Miss Annie Sullivan, of this city, were married this week at the Howard House, in Washington. Rev. Dr. Bernard officiating. They left for a bridal trip North, and upon their return will reside at Guilkey's.

## Chile Will Participate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, Va., June 9.—The Chilean Government, the Jamestown Exposition officials are advised through the Department of State, has again assured the American Minister at Santiago of its acceptance of the invitation to participate in the Jamestown Exposition; and, further, that it will send two warships to take part in the celebration.

## Mr. Wadley Wins Suit.

In the City Circuit Court yesterday a verdict was returned for the defendant in the case of W. H. Moore vs. Everett Wadley. Moore sued the latter for \$5,000 for alleged false imprisonment.



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Victor Talking Machines.

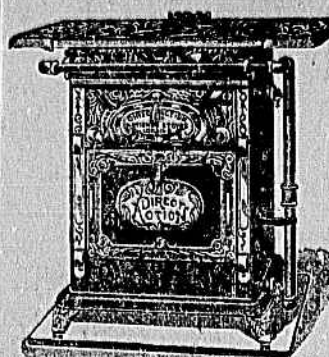
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## WHITE LABORERS CHASE BAD BLACK

Serious Situation is Narrowly Averted—Other Trouble Seems to be Imminent.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ARYONIA, Va., June 9.—Another clash between white and black operatives in the quarries here took place to-day, and a serious difficulty was narrowly averted. Bernard Wootton, son of Wiley Wootton, manager for the Richmond Slate Company, got into a difficulty with a negro laborer in the quarry. William Allen, a white quarrier, was also present. After the difficulty was apparently over Allen returned to the place where young Wootton was at work, and running past him, fired a revolver at him at close range. The negro then ran off, the white laborers of the quarry all in full pursuit. The negro was immediately sworn out through Justice Thomas R. Shaw, and officers are now searching for the negro. A seriously difficulty may result from the affair.

This makes the third serious clash between the races in this locality within the past two months. Conditions are getting more serious all the time, and it seems that it is only a question of time before there is still more serious trouble.

## Property Transfers.

Richmond: F. M. Buxley to George D. Pearman, 32½ feet on N Street, northeast corner of Jessamine Street, \$10.

John Washington Hughes to Eva T. Bruce, 44½ feet on the east line of Eighth Street, 57½ feet north of Leigh Street, subject to deed of trust for \$1,200, \$1,000.

Benjamin H. Turner, Jr., to Leupina Evans, 19 feet on the west line of Twenty-fifth Street, 22 feet north of Leigh Street, \$1,000.

Henry Greener and wife to G. William and E. May Greener, 35½ feet on the east side of Grace Street, 144½ feet east of Allison Street, \$3,000.

Henricio: W. E. T. Bass and wife to David Ferguson, 97½ acres south of Three Chop Road, about 13 miles west of Richmond, \$525.

J. M. Deane and wife to Stuart A. Wells, 60 feet on the north line of Marshall Street, 66 feet east of High Point Avenue, \$125.

W. C. Thomason and wife to Robert W. Harris, 25 acres adjoining the lands of Henley and others, \$125.

Catherine F. Michaels to Sarah G. Leigh, 68 feet on the south side of Oakwood Avenue, 50 feet on the north side of Dickinson Street, 106½ feet on south side of Dickinson Street and 86½ feet on the north side of Garrison Street, \$2,000.

Lewis Ginter Land and Improvement Company to Hunter B. Frischnor, lots 12 and 13 in Block G, plan of Ginter Park, \$2,850.

M. Kelley to P. A. Woodward, 66 feet on the west line of Twenty-first Street, five feet south of Brauer's Lane, \$100.

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## PRETTY WEDDING IN TUCKER HOME

Eldest Daughter President James-town Exposition Led to Altar Yesterday.

## DAINTY LITTLE FLOWER GIRLS

There Were No Attendants on Account of Recent Bereavement in Groom's Family.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LEXINGTON, Va., June 9.—The most brilliant marriage of the season was solemnized this evening at 7 o'clock at "Col Alto," the beautiful Lexington home of Hon. Harry S. George Tucker, president of the Jamestown Exposition Company, when his eldest daughter, Miss Rosa Johnston Tucker, was wedded to Mr. Silas Buxley Mason, of Frankfort, Ky. The ceremony took place on the spacious lawn beneath the stately trees of the magnificent suburban home of Mr. Tucker. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Dallas Tucker, D. D., rector of the Protestant Episcopal Church at Bedford City, a cousin of the bride. The impressive ceremony of the Episcopal Church was used, and the betrothal was witnessed by the Virginia Military Institute Orchestra played wedding selections.

## Wore Radium Silk.

This bride, who is a handsome young woman of the brunette type, was dressed in a wedding gown of radium silk, point lace trimmings, wore a tulle veil and carried lilies of the valley. She was unattended by a maid of honor or bridesmaids, but was given away by her father, six little girls, daintily dressed in white and carrying bouquets of sweet peas, served as flower girls. They were Misses Laura Powell Tucker and Henrietta Preston Tucker, sisters of the bride; Rosa Duncan Sharpe, Laura Tucker Pendleton and Nancy Pendleton, nieces of the bride, and Virginia Mason, sister of the groom.

The decorations of the home for the happy event were pink roses.

Only a few relatives of the two families were present, owing to the recent death of the groom's father, Mr. H. P. Mason. The bride couple left immediately after the ceremony on a wedding tour which will include the principal Northern resorts. They will make their home at "Scotland," the residence of the groom, in Frankfort.

## Both Prominent Families.

Mr. Mason spent several years at Washington and Lee University. Previous to that he attended Princeton University. His occupation is that of an architect. He is a grandson of Mr. Mason, who had large contracts in building the old Valley Railroad to Lexington. During the Civil War he was Stonewall Jackson's bridge-builder.

The bride was a member of the exclusive social set of Lexington and was well known in Washington where Mr. Tucker for years represented the Tenth Virginia District in Congress. She is a granddaughter of the late John Randolph Tucker and great-granddaughter of General Albert Sidney Johnston.

Among the guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sharpe, of Wilkes; Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Tucker, of Baltimore; Miss Augusta Conrad and Miss Eva McGuire, of Winchester, Va.; Mrs. John Carmichael, of Baltimore; Mrs. John Leo Logan, of New York; Miss Ethel Witherspoon, of Kentucky; Mrs. John Payne, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mason, of Frankfort, Ky.; Miss Virginia May, Miss Elizabeth Jones and Miss Marie Little, of Staunton, Va.

## MEMORIAL DAY.

Staunton Women Deck Graves of Those Who Died in War.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, Va., June 9.—Confederate Memorial Day was fittingly observed here to-day by the Southern soldiers of two wars—the war between the States and the Spanish-American struggle.

Out at Thornrose Cemetery, where sleep the thousands dead from the battlefields of Cross Keys, New Market, Piedmont and other battle points in the Shenandoah valley, the women widows, mothers and daughters of long dead Confederate heroes decked each grave with a wreath of roses. An eloquent oration was delivered by Dr. O. P. Gregory, of the city, a son of a Confederate hero, and a large number of citizens made up the procession. The speaker of the day was introduced by Captain Thomas R. Ransom.

The Daughters of the Confederacy delivered to a number of veterans of the war, and also to Miss Blanche Sinnholzer, daughter of Minor Sinnholzer, as descendant of a veteran.

## MATCH STARTED FIRE.

Hot Iron Came in Contact With Match in Coat Pocket.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, Va., June 9.—Fire to-day destroyed the clothes cleaning establishment of J. O. Crider at North Main Street. The furniture in a warehouse of Unistader-Myers Company and Hein's pickling plant were damaged by smoke and water.

A match in a coat pocket in Crider's place started the fire. The match was being cleaned by a hot iron came in contact with the match and off it went. The whole shop was soon in flames, and the flames were not stopped until they had spread to the cleaning establishment of Norman L. Guy, adjoining the Crider place. The Crider place was destroyed, but much of it was taken from Guy's place before the fire got into it.

The total damage may reach \$5,000, which is partly covered by insurance.

## CASE GOES AGAINST ALLEGED POACHERS

(By Associated Press.)

PENSACOLA, Fla., June 9.—Warren & Company, owners of the fishing smack, "Silas Buxley," which was seized recently by the United States Fish Commission, have been notified that the case has been decided against them. The court holding that the seizure was legal. They have authorized an attorney at Pensacola to appeal the case to a higher court. Trial of the case at the United States District Court at Pensacola, Fla., will not take place until the case of the vessel has been fully disposed of.

## Mystic Shrine Convention.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, June 9.—The thirty-second annual session of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America will be held in Medinah Temple Tuesday and Wednesday. This session which was to have been held in Los Angeles May 28 and 29 was postponed and transferred to Chicago on account of the earthquake.

## WOMAN CALLED TO DOOR, MURDERED

Struck Down and Killed in the Presence of Her Aged Mother.

## JEALOUSY POSSIBLE MOTIVE

Woman Had Recently Brought Suit for Divorce from Husband.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 9.—The identity of the murderer of Mrs. Alice Kinnhan, who was struck down on the stoop of her home in the borough of the Bronx last night, was still a mystery to the police to-day. The motive which prompted the murder was also unsolved, but the police were at work upon the theory that it might have been jealousy.

Mrs. Kinnhan lived with her mother, Mrs. Louisa M. Stanton, 85 years old, in an old and decaying mansion surrounded by lawns and shrubbery at Washington avenue and 189th street, Bronx. At nine o'clock last night she was called to the door by an unknown person, who, without a word, struck her a fatal blow on the head.

## Left Weapon.

The murderer then disappeared, but left a piece of gas pipe with which the murder was done. Mrs. Stanton, the victim's mother, is so aged and so much shocked by the crime as to be of little service in locating the murderer.

That jealousy or revenge may have been the motive which prompted the assault was suggested to the police by the discovery that a contractor, Clinchy, died in Mrs. Kinnhan's home while calling upon her two weeks ago, and also that Mrs. Kinnhan had employed a lawyer to bring suit for divorce from her husband, from whom she separated eight years ago.

The police to-day were trying to find a man who is said to have been a frequent caller on Mrs. Kinnhan during the last two months. It was said to-day that Clinchy had been a visitor at Mrs. Kinnhan's home for five years, against the wishes of his family.

## Husband Missing.

The mystery in which the case is hidden is deepened by the fact that the whereabouts of Mrs. Kinnhan's husband is unknown. After trying in vain for two years to find him and bring suit against him, she was believed him to be dead, until three weeks ago, when he was reported to be in Brooklyn. The search for him was renewed by Mrs. Kinnhan's lawyer, but without result. The police took up the search for him to-day in the hope that he could give them a clue to either the motive of the crime or the identity of the murderer.

## Wedded in Washington.

Mr. Lindsay Grey and Miss Esther Purcell, both of Vontay, Va., were married in Washington last Wednesday, June 7th, by Rev. J. B. McLaughlin. The ceremony occurred at the National Hotel and was witnessed by Mr. J. B. McLaughlin, Mr. J. B. Purcell, Dr. Schoenbaum and wife, Dr. W. E. Broadhead and others. Mr. Grey is the son of Mr. William A. Grey, a prosperous farmer of Vontay. He himself is in the general merchandise business. The bride is the daughter of Mr. C. D. Purcell, a well-known merchant of Vontay. The couple will be at home to friends after June 11th.

## Borges Guilty.

(By Associated Press.)

BOSTON, MASS., June 9.—Guilty on one count of conspiracy and seventy-three counts of larceny, was the jury's verdict to-day in the case of Ferdinand A. Borges, whose trial has been in progress for the past three weeks in the superior court. Borges had been indicted in company with former Congressman William D. Owen, of Indiana, on 123 counts of larceny and two of conspiracy in connection with promoting the Ubers Plantation Company, of Boston and Mexico. Owens has not been arrested.

## MAKE CEMENT BRICK ON EXTENSIVE SCALE

Blackstone Contemplates a Complete Sewer System.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BLACKSTONE, Va., June 9.—There has been organized and put into operation here during the last few days a firm known as the Leigh and Gray Cement Brick Manufacturing Company. It is a new enterprise for Blackstone; yet it has a bright business future before it. Their output is large, and already they have more orders than they can fill. This locality being peculiarly adapted to the making of this high order of cement brick.

A plant for the manufacture of soda water and handling it in bottles has recently been opened up here. They deliver soda each day at the various stores in the town of Blackstone and also to the city and suburbs. The new enterprise has already proven a great convenience to the merchants, and is doing a nice business.

There is a plan on foot to put in a thorough and complete system of sewerage, water mains and lighting equipment. The lighting and water of the town and suburbs is to be improved. sewerage needs improvement, and the Town Council is taking steps in the direction of adding to the sanitary conditions of the town in every way possible, thereby increasing its already exceedingly healthful condition. Under the new arrangement, the town will have free hot water, which are greatly needed, and will be able to have the streets sprinkled twice every day during the seasons when sprinkling is needed.

The Y. M. C. A. of the town have just completed the furnishing of their new reading rooms and have in them a well-appointed equipment of reading matter and games. The tables are filled with the best and most up-to-date magazines and periodicals, all being new, instructive and entertaining. The association expects to put in a well-equipped and up-to-date set of baths, such as showers and tubs, which will be free to the members.

Miss Belle Reade, of Chatham, is visiting the home of Mr. D. M. Smith.

Mr. Samuel F. Epps has been to South Hill this week on business.

Misses Mary and Elizabeth Crank, of Louisa county, are visiting the home of Mr. D. W. Perkins here.

Miss Elizabeth Manon, of Jorgensen, Lunenburg county, is visiting the home of Mrs. Terry Stokes, in West Blackstone.

## MONTAGUE ASKS TO BE EXCUSED

Commission on Pan-American Conference Precludes Speaking in North Carolina.

## EXPRESSES DEEPEST REGRET

Superintendent of Chelsea, Mass., City Schools Will Appear Instead.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALPHIGH, N. C., June 9.—Secretary R. D. W. Connor, of the North Carolina Teachers' Association, has received a letter from ex-Governor A. J. Montague, of Virginia, asking to be released from his engagement to address the assembly on the evening of June 18th, for the reason that he has consented to serve as one of the delegates to the Pan-American Conference, which meets at Rio de Janeiro July 21st, and his commission necessitates his leaving this country June 13th. He expressed deep regret at the necessity of cancelling the engagement here and the hope of meeting the educational forces of North Carolina at some future time. The assembly regrets deeply the loss of Governor Montague from the programme. They have substituted Superintendent C. C. Gregory, of the Chelsea (Mass.) city schools, for his place on the programme, so that Friday night will still be one of the best of the sessions of the assembly, which will be in session June 13th to 18th, and will be followed by the New Carolina Summer School, continuing three weeks.

## ENDORSED GOVERNOR.

North Carolina Democrats Will Return Simmons to Senate.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALPHIGH, N. C., June 9.—The Wake county Democratic convention, in session this afternoon, adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of Governor Glenn and pledging support for the reelection of F. M. Simmons to the United States Senate, commending the evident purpose of the Democracy of the State to return him to the highest tribunal of the nation without opposition. Primaries for the nomination of county and legislative officers were called for July 21st.

## Go Into Encampment.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALPHIGH, N. C., June 9.—Governor Glenn this morning, at the request of General J. S. Carr and Major H. A. London, grand and postmaster for the North Carolina division, United Confederate Veterans, to go into camp on the State camp-grounds at Morehead right after the encampment of the North Carolina National Guard, August 7th. As much as possible of the encampment equipment will be left for the old soldiers.

## Solve Labor Problem.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHARLOTTE, N. C., June 9.—Mr. S. S. McIninch, has received another party of foreign laborers, who were sent out this morning to his brick plant on the Catawba River. The party consists of sixteen Germans, the majority of them young men. Mr. McIninch has been highly pleased with the energy and industry of the Germans, who have been at work for several weeks, and he believes that this last lot will solve the labor problem for him. He now has about thirty-five foreigners at work.

## FULTON NEWS

Children's Day will be celebrated Sunday, June 17th, at Willis Methodist Church, Henrico county. An excellent programme is being prepared. There will also be all-day services on that day.

Mr. William Sutherland, of New York, is visiting his mother on Nicholson Street.

Mrs. Walter Johnson is very sick at her home in Virginia.

Miss Bessie Nelson is visiting relatives in Newport News.

W. T. Teas and A. J. Shurtell have accepted a position in Guilford, Conn.

Mrs. Gertrude Ramsay, of Danville, is visiting relatives in Fulton.

Mr. Charles Marlowe, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives in Fulton.

Mrs. A. R. McCalley and son, Archie, Jr., are visiting relatives in Fredericksburg.

Miss Annie B. Welsh, of Louisiana Street, is visiting relatives in Washington and Baltimore.

Mr. A. Coby, of Fulton Hill, who has been suffering from a badly swollen foot, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kay are visiting relatives in Nansemond county.

Mrs. Fountain Bow and children left Friday for Gloucester county, where they will be guests of relatives for several weeks.

Charles Wood, of Norfolk, was a recent visitor to Fulton.

J. O. Jordan, of Brambleton, is visiting in Fulton.

Mr. T. R. Bond, of Suffolk, is the guest of his relative, S. A. Bailey, on Williamsburg Avenue.

Mr. Ernest Whitlock has returned from a visit to Washington.

Mrs. H. C. Warrington visited friends in Fredericksburg recently.

"The Fulton Baptist Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Beach Park, West Point, June 21st.

Mrs. Richard Hicks is sick at her home on Fulton Street.

The Messrs. McGraws, of Petersburg, were recent visitors to Fulton.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Fulton Baptist Church meets Monday afternoon in the lecture room.

Mr. Cleveland Doe has returned to his home at "Roanoke Isle," after a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in Fulton.

Councilman and Mrs. F. H. Garber and their little daughter, Josephine, are visiting Mr. John H. Paine, in Barkley, Va.

Miss Naomi Wright has returned from a pleasant trip to Washington.

Irvin, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bond, is visiting in Fulton.

## Scientific Cure for Fits

Science has at last discovered a cure for a disease which